

EDMONSON COUNTY

KENTUCKY POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION PROFILE 2008-10



General Population Data			
	County	Ку	US
Total population	11,644	4,041,769	281,421,906
Median household income	\$25,413	\$33,672	\$41,994
Per capita income	\$14,480	\$18,093	\$21,587
Living in poverty	18.4 %	15.8 %	12.4 %
Eligible for Medicaid	20.3 %	17.6 %	na
Without medical insurance	14.4 %	13.3 %	14.2 %
Registered voters who voted in 2004 general election	61.0 %	64.7 %	70.9 %
Unemployment rate	6.8 %	5.7 %	4.6 %
Use the Internet at home	57.2 %	64.0 %	na

Highest Level of Education

•	County	Ку	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	38.3 %	25.9 %	19.6 %
High school diploma or equivalent	40.1 %	33.6 %	28.6 %
Some college but no degree	13.7 %	18.5 %	21.0 %
Associate's degree	2.9 %	4.9 %	6.3 %
Bachelor's degree or higher	4.9 %	17.1 %	24.4 %

Educational Pipeline

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High school graduates in 2006	118
In-state college-going rate for 2006 high school graduates	47.0 %
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments in 2006-07	377
GEDs awarded in 2006-07	21
Students entering postsecondary education in summer or fall 2006	82
Students earning an associate's degree in 2006-07	13
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2006-07	26
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics in 2006-07	10
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2006-07	16
Students enrolled in distance learning college courses in fall 2006	85
Students enrolled in Kentucky Virtual Campus courses in fall 2006	13
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2006	50.0 %
Number of additional bachelor's degree holders needed in this county to match the national average	1,532

College Readiness

	County	Ку
Average ACT score	19.7	20.6
% entering college with developmental needs in one or more subjects	35.9 %	45.9 %
% entering college with developmental needs in mathematics	23.1 %	35.4 %
% entering college with developmental needs in English	17.9 %	28.6 %

Employment by Sector

	County	Ку
Agriculture, mining, & other natural resources	0	28,251
Manufacturing & construction	111	346,324
Retail, wholesale, transportation, & utilities	175	373,216
Finance, professional, & business services	na	258,647
Health & educational services	246	215,834
Government & public education	762	293,968
Leisure, hospitality, & other services	na	209,629

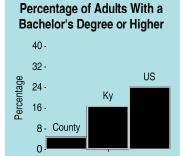
Undergraduates & Alumni

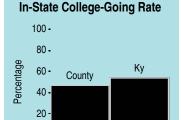
	Enrollment	Alumni
University of Kentucky	3	38
University of Louisville	3	13
Eastern Kentucky University	0	8
Kentucky State University	0	0
Morehead State University	0	3
Murray State University	3	8
Northern Kentucky University	0	6
Western Kentucky University	230	225
KCTCS	134	82
Independent colleges & universities	6	16
Total from this county	379	399

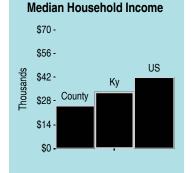
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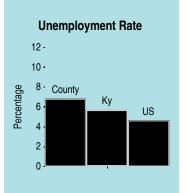
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	Dollars	Awards
Federal Pell awards	\$422,177	179
Federal loans	\$1,162,495	214
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$238,501	168
Kentucky need-based grants	\$241,849	122

KEY FACTS









Sources: US Census 2000, US Department of Education, Kentucky Department of Education, Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, Kentucky Office of Employment and Training, ACT, Inc, Kentucky State Board of Elections, Dave Leip's Atlas of U.S. Presidential Elections, US Census Small Area Health Insurance Estimates Program, Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services, ConnectKentucky, Kentucky Adult Education, and the Council on Postsecondary Education. Complete descriptions of sources and methodologies may be found in the technical notes at the end of the 2008-10 County Profiles or through the Kentucky Postsecondary Education Data Portal at the Web address below.



